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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 8

Part B for September 1934

SUBJECT.

Affairs of Sri Srinagar Mela at Srinagar

To The Mag. Cour
Revenue Com and the Comptroller

WD 01965—GPB—15,000—7-7-34

No 397 - 99 B 18 - 9 34.

Appointing Mr. C Rama Rao Amildar Head Clerk on Acting Pay of the SRM.

DEWAN'S MINUTE.

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Sringeri Mutt.

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(3) that a successor may be appointed to the present Agent, and arrangements made for the administration of the Jaghir.

These suggestions, with which I am inclined to agree, may be considered and His Highness' orders obtained thereon. As regards (3), perhaps, the best course would be to post a suitable Amildar for charge of the Jaghir and Mutt, to work under the orders of the Deputy Commissioner.

H Sent with compliments

As regards 3 I would like to consult him personally please ask request him to meet me at 3.30 pm on Wednesday the 8th Sd/-

7/11/33

Today

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DEWAN'S MINUTE.

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(4) It is obvious that things cannot be allowed to continue as they are much longer. Some definite action has to be taken.

JM
5-11-33

Second Member of Council

with compliments.

(3) I have consulted the Mun. Com. as regards the properties are taken over, may be put in charge of the under the immediate control of the P.C. Tanksale proposals will be submitted after the main suggn is apptd.

(2) It may be desirable to fix the amounts to be set apart from the monthly funds of the two Swamis. This may be considered later on

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13) D. F. N. Subbu. as directed
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For approval
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15) AD 9.11.33 2d Member) 9/11/33

16) A final note is put up & obtg His Highness orders

Dewan)

Seen 9/11
AD 10/11

17) MJ 10-11-33

AN'S OFFICE
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10 NOV 1933

Final Note by the Second Member of Council.

Subject:—

Management of Sri Sringeri Mutt.

(1) For some time past, the affairs of the Sri Sringeri Mutt do not seem to have been quite what they ought to be and they require some attention on the part of Government.

(2) The Senior Swami's mental condition has been unsatisfactory for some time and it is not certain whether he will ever be quite well again or even if he recovers, whether he will be so, for any length of time.

(3) The young Swami's health, too, is said not to be quite satisfactory. It is understood he is getting fever- as a result, probably of his prolonged stay in the Malnad.

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(5) Mr. Srikantasastri, late Agent of the Mutt interviewed the Dewan in the matter and made the following proposals:—

(1) To permit the Senior Swami to go to Kaladi as soon as he is well enough to travel and stay there for some time.

(2) To bring the young Swami to Mysore and keep him in the Sankaralaya there for five years; and arrange for his training and education and

(3) To appoint a successor to the present Agent, and arrange for the administration of the Jahagir.

(24) The first two proposals may be agreed to. As regards the administration of the Jahgir and the Mutt properties it is desirable to take over the administration under Section 25 (1) of the Muzrai Regulation to regularise the matter and as many powers are exercised by the Officer in charge under the Land Revenue Code. An experienced Amildar may be put in charge of the Jahgir under the control of the Assistant Commissioner, Tarikere Sub Division and the Deputy Commissioner.

(25) It may be necessary to fix the amounts to be set apart for the two Swamis from the Mutt funds. This will be considered later on.

(26) The proposal to take over the management of the Jahgir and other properties by Government and the other proposals made above have been agreed to by the Dewan, and I solicit His Highness' gracious approval thereto.

Bangalore,
9th November 1933)

MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

(6

Submitted to His Highness.

I submit herewith a Final Note by the SECOND Member of Council on the subject of Management of Sri Sringeri Mutt

for His Highness' gracious approval.

Mirza M. Ismail
Dewan.

Bangalore,
10th November 1933.

(7)

Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja.

Subject.

Management of Sri Sringeri

Order.

Vs

~~KRW~~

13/11/33

Mr Narayanayya has not sent in his resignation We shall ask him to do it as soon as we have decided on a successor

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General and Revenue Secretariat

Management of Sri Sringeri Mat.

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R. Ranga Rao
Chief Secretary to Government.

Through the Secretary to Government,

Revenue Department

15.11.33

FIRST MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL

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29) At present the idea

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is to appoint an Asst to be in charge as the agent of the Swamy. The question of taking over the admn ref'd to in para 6 of the Final Note will arise & consdn only later on. Please consult the Mun. C. to select a suitable Asst for the purpose

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29) Fin Sec to Govt (Mun'al) — 17.11.33 — 17/11

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30) Draft Let'r.
Accd
21/11/33 — 21/11

2 To the Mun. Cmsr. No. 705 dt 21 33
States that it is proposed to appoint an experienced Amildar to be in charge of Sri Srinjeevi Mutt as the Agent of the Swamis & calls for suitable proposals in the matter.

3 From the Mun. Cmsr. No. 679/33-34 dt 23-11-33
With reference to the above states that a selection may be made from among the following Amildars:
(1) M. C.K. Chellappa Iyer, Amildar, Kurnool Dt
(2) " K. Gundu Rao " Nagapatam Dt
(3) " B.S. Suryanarayana "

Submitted in reference to the minutes in para 22 supra.

28/11/33
JL Levy)

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Office of the Second Member of Council. 30 V No. 3222

Read for II member's information to put up draft D.O. to Secretary

II

Draft D.O. letter to Secretary submitted as minuted for approval.

12/12/33

II Member
JL Levy)

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To be seen after the present Cases put up early in March

Sir

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24 Subbl. as requested as directed in para 36 supra.

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39) The question is a

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REPLY

(To be written on this margin.)

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NOTE

Dated 30th July *1934.*

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663 Mez 118-33-4

Letter dated the 23rd July from Guruseva Pravina Srikanta Sastry to the Dewan.

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(40) Copy of second and third paragraphs of this letter may be sent to the Revenue Commissioner, with the request that he may proceed to Sringeri at an early date to interview the Swamigalu and ascertain his wishes and communicate them to Government. A copy of this letter may be kept in the file and the original returned.

J/02

Financial Secretary, (2) Mysore
with compliments.

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BH It is suted that there are 3 paras in the letter, the 3rd para is purely personal & in the D.O. proposed only 2nd para only is included.
42 Send D.O. D.O
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Judgment to be kindly kept pone after a Peter, Secy JN

Mez 118-33-5

No 137 of 1-8-1934 of the Revenue Commissioner forwarding

Extract of letter dt 23-4-1934 from the Resident Sikkim

to Copy of the letter from Lhasa Prasina Nos Situation. Highlights taken. The file may be req[illegible] the Secretariat Manchuria Office being retained there (Vide para 1 Secret.) —

[illegible]
P.A. to member with Compliments.
[illegible] Original retained & the file returned

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SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL
4 AUG 1934
NO 872

D.o letter no 18/34-35 dt 13-8-34 from the Mysore Commissioner — furnishing a Copy of his tour programme to Srinagar and back during his annual vacations.

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On 17th the H.C. proceeds from Th. to Srinagar and halts at the latter place on 18th and returns on 19th. The receipt of address of his visit is awaited — for perusal

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D.o. letter no Rc 13 & 25/8/34 34-35 from the Muzrai Commissioner submitting a report as to the result of his interview with the Hon'ble the Swamigalu of Sri Singeri Mutt.

(1) The proposals made by the M.C are briefly as follows:—

1. The appointment of Mr. C. Rama Rao, the amildar of Kadur Taluq, as Singeri Mutt, as administrator for 2 yrs with the same powers and status of an Asst. Comr as per wishes of the Swamigalu.

2. That no [illegible] any contribution shall be levied from the Mutt in respect of the salary of the [illegible]

So that the above proposals Mr. Rama Rao being continued to draw salary as Amildar though he is given the powers of an Asst. Comr. The present salary of Mr. C. Rama Rao is Rs 225/- p.m.*

(2) As regards the Commissioner proposal [illegible] I agree, & also, the file may be sent to Rev Bn for necessary action.

(3) Submit for orders—

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* Page 20 of the civil list.

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Returned with reference to para (1) supra.

The D.C. reports that His Holiness the Swamiji of Shirali desires that

(1) the Jahgir and all other properties shall be managed by an officer of first class above the rank of an Asst Commr under the designation of "Administrator of Shirali Jahgir".

(2) Mr C. Rama Rao, Amildar Kundapur Taluk, may be appointed as "administrator" for two years with the rank & status of an Asst Commr and that

(3) pensionary contribution if any need not be demanded from the Jahgir in respect of Mr Rama Rao's salary.

The D.C. recommends that the above requests may be complied with, Mr Rama Rao being allowed the same salary as Amildar altho he is given the status of an Asst Commr.

Mr. Rama Rao is now drawing Rs 225/- p.m. from 15.5.33 and will draw Rs 250/- p.m. from 15.5.35.

The D.C. also recommends that a Commn may be issued under Sec 99 L.R. Code authorising Mr Rama Rao to exercise all such powers of a D.C. as the Agents of the Matha hitherto exercised including the power to Confirm Rev. Sales, subject to the limitations

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laid down in the L. R. Code.

So the recommendations of the Rev. Comr. may be sanctioned with Rev. & Jdl Concurrence.

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27 AUG 1934
No. 6076

H Secy) 27) Govt is not usual to claim pensionary Contribution. The Min[illegible] may be sd

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Dewan)

OFFICE OF THE SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL
28 AUG. 1934
NO. 1597

So I agree with the H Secy as regards pens[illegible] Contn. Regarding the Min's other recomns, I generally agree. The designation of 'administrator' appears to be needlessly elaborate & liable to misconstruction. 'Agent' would have been simpler & equally satisfactory.

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The Srikanta Sastri's letter & the Min's refce based upon it do not make it quite clear that the responsibility of the management vests with the Swamin & not with Govt, who will help by lending one of their officers & by occasional supervision & advice. This Sd be made clear in the order.

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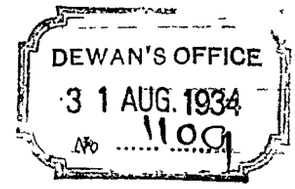

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for
Dewan)

(G) 31-8-34

Final Note by the Second Member of Council.

Subject:—

AFFAIRS OF THE SRINGERI MUTT.

As has already been reported to His Highness in my Final Note of 9th November 1933, the Agent of the Sringeri Mutt, Rao Saheb N.S. Nanjundaiya has been asking to be relieved of the duties of Agent for the past few months. Mr. Srikanta Sastri has since written to the Dewan to say that as Mr. Nanjundaiya wanted to be relieved immediately, His Holiness has accepted his resignation, and appointed the Deputy Amildar, Mr. K. Subramanya Sastri, to take over charge of the Agent's duties as a temporary measure. He has also communicated the desire of the Swami to discuss the question of selecting a successor with the Muzrai Commissioner.

Mr. N. Madhava Rao accordingly paid a visit to His Holiness on the 17th and 18th August, and his report is submitted for His Highness' gracious perusal. He reports that His Holiness desires that the Jaghir and all other properties should be managed by an officer of Government under the designation of Administrator of Sringeri Jaghir and requests that Mr. C. Rama Rao, Amildar of Kadur whom the Swami has selected, may be appointed as the Administrator of Sringeri Jaghir for a period of two years with the rank and status of an Assistant Commissioner. The Swami also requests that pensionary contribution, etc. need not be recovered from the Jaghir in respect of this appointment.

When the file came to me, I minuted as follows:-

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69 The Dewan and the First Member of Council have agreed to the above proposals and gracious sanction of His Highness is now solicited to give effect to them.

MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

Bangalore,
30th August 1934.

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Submitted to His Highness.

70)

I submit herewith a Final Note by the Second Member of Council regarding affairs of the Sringeri Mutt

for His Highness' gracious approval.

Mirza M. Ismail

Dewan

31-8-34

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Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja.

Subject.

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Order.

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R. Rangachari
Chief Secretary to Government.

Through the Secretary to Government,

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FIRST MEMBER OF COUNCIL. 6/9 7/9

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SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL

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A/S. (May)

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Re: Arrangements for the management of the affairs of Sir Sivagen Tyagi.

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77 Ofc. Subs

GS 8/9 — Put up revised draft as mistake please 8/9

Ofc. Subs as amended

GS 10/9 — Put up typed draft please as revised 11/9/34

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Typed & after Subs

GS 11/9.

82 For approval 11/9/34

Ch: Secy)

83) Rly 13/9/34

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OFFICE OF THE SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL. 13 SEPT 1934 NO. 1960

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397-99 dated 18-7-1934 the H.C.I. (W) Ins. ... Rs. ... Consider for dep't. Accepts the recommend. ... M.C. with certain ... Subsidy ...

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General

FINANCE SECRETARY
No.

DEWAN'S OFFICE
No. 331
6. NOV. 1933

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Sringeri Mutt.

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It is obvious that things cannot be allowed to continue as they are, much longer. Some definite action has to be taken.

Id. M.I.

Second Member of Council,
with compliments.

Copy to Muzrai Secretary,
with compliments.

7/11/33

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Dear Sir,

I am desired to request you to meet the Second Member of Council in his Chambers in the Old Public Office Buildings to-morrow at 3.30 P.M. in connection with the appointment of a successor to the present Agent of Sri Sringeri Mutt.

Yours sincerely,

7.11.0

N. Madhava Rao, Esq., B.A.,B.L.,
Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,
Bangalore.

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SUBJECT.....

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Section

File No.

Serial No.

Diary No. of letter replied to ....

No. 617

To

General and Revenue Secretariat

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the *193*

Date of issue 7-11-33

Signed by W. N. Raghavachar

Dear Sir,

I am desired to request you to meet the Second Member of Council in his Chambers in the Old Public office Buildings tomorrow at 3-30 P.M. in connection with the appointment of a Successor to the present Agent of Sri Singeri Mutt.

Yours Sincerely

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List of enclosures.....

Copied by.....

Examined by .....

To

N. Madhava Rao Esq B.A.B.L.
Inspl Comsr. in Mysore

WD 0253—GPB—15,000—26-8-32

Immediate.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

No. M. 705

Dated, Bangalore, 20th Novr. 1933.

From Mes 118-33-2

The *Financial Secretary to the Government of His Highness, the Maharaja of Mysore.*

To

The Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,
Bangalore,

Sir,

I am directed to state that it is proposed to appoint an experienced Amildar to be in charge of the Sri Sringeri Mutt as the Agent of the Swami, in place of the present incumbent who is expected to resign his post and to request you to submit suitable proposals in the matter, at a very early date.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Financial Secretary to Governmen

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Serial No. 2

Diary No. of letter replied to ....

No. 705

To

The Mc.

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 21/11/33

Signed by N.S. Shamanna

Sir,

I am directed to state that it is proposed to appoint an experienced ~~Amildar~~ Amildar to be in charge of the Sri Singeri ~~mutt~~ as the ~~agent~~ of the Sarvamanya incumbent ~~of the~~ in place of the present ~~Agent~~ who is expected to resign his post and to request you to submit suitable proposals in the matter at a very early date.

I have &c.

20/11/33 for Secy to G.

List of enclosures.....

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Examined by .....

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No. 679/33-4.

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REVENUE & REV. SECRETARIAT
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23 NOV 1933

OFFICE OF THE MUZRAI COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE.

Dated, Bangalore, 22nd November 1933.

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IMMEDIATE.

FROM

N. Madhava Rau, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

To

Muz 118-33 3

S. Shamanna, Esquire., B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.
Financial *Department.*

SIR,

With reference to your letter No.705/Muz.118-33-2 dated 20/21st November 1933 calling for proposals in the matter of the posting of an experienced Amildar to be in charge of the Sri ---- Sringeri Mutt as the Agent of the Swami, I have the honour to -- state that a selection may be made from among the following ----- Amildars:-

1. Mr. C. K. Chellappa Iyer, Amildar Kunigal Taluk
2. " K. Gundu Rao " Magadi "
3. " B.S. Suryanarayana " Sidlaghatta "

2. The particulars re the Malnad service that each of these Amildars has put in and also his age are noted separately on the margin.

* 1. Mr.Chellappa Iyer,
From 15-9-29 to 1-8-30
as Amildar Shimoga Tk.
Age. 50/.
2. Mr.K.Gundu Rao,
From 24-9-31 to 19-12-32.
as Amildar, Kadur Taluk.
Age. 45.
3. Mr.B.S. Suryanarayana,
from Oct.1926 to 1st May 1929
as Economic Superintendent,
Chikmagalur, Age. 34.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

N. Madhava Rau
Muzrai Commissioner.

D. O. No. 37

General and Revenue Secretariat

Dated, Bangalore, 12th Dec. 1

Dear sir,

With reference to your conversation with the Dewan sometime back, I write to state that it is proposed to post to Sringeri Mr. K. Gundu Rao, an experienced Amildar, who will exercise all the powers of the Agent under the directions of His Holiness the Swamigalu. This, it is considered, will be a suitable arrangement.

In this view, your proposal to appoint the present man there could not be accepted.

Yours sincerely,

Title to be inserted here.

N. Srikanta Sastri, Esq.,
~~Sringeri~~.
Mysore.

Letter dated 23rd July 1934 from Guruseva Pravina N. Srikantha Sastry, Sringeri to the Dewan of Mysore.

I have your kind letter of the 15th ultimo (D.O.3555) together with the two enclosures. As I was just at that time in Southern India, I could not submit the Kannada copy of your address to the Assembly to His Holiness and acknowledge your letter immediately. I trust you will under the circumstances excuse the delay in the reply, and I came here on the 20th instant and have since submitted the contents of your letter and the address to His Holiness, and His Holiness was very much pleased about your kind enquiries about his health. His Holiness is in perfect health, and I am desired to convey His blessings to you and all the members of your family.

2. As desired specially by His Holiness, I left this two and half months ago for the Southern India in connection with the management of the properties of the Mutt in those parts. You may be aware that recently Rao Bahadur Mr. N.S.Nanjundiah submitted his resignation and as he wanted to be relieved immediately, His Holiness accepted his resignation and directed the Deputy Amildar Mr.K.Subramanya Sastriar to take over charge of the agent's office as a very temporary measure. I am desired to state that before any permanent arrangements are made, His Holiness will be very much pleased to have a talk with you in the matter if you can spare a day or two to come over here at any time you may find convenient in the midst of your multifarious and onerous duties. It is a long time since His Holiness had the pleasure of seeing you in person and I am desired to state that he will be really very much pleased if you can come over here at least for a day or two in the near future. In case you find it absolutely impossible to come over here owing to the pressure of official business, I am desired to state that if the Revenue Commissioner can come here in the near future, His Holiness will communicate his views through him to you. In the meanwhile I am desired to further state that pending the appointment of a proper man as a permanent agent, it will be

I fear I can't find time (Init) M.N.S.

This may be done. (Init) M-N-S

-be convenient if the Deputy Commissioner of Kadur is requested to confirm the revenue sales conducted by the Deputy Amildar -in the Sringeri Jaghir in accordance with the practice in force prior to the issue of the commission in favour of the agent.

I thank you very much for your kind enquiries about my health. I am keeping fairly well. I hope you and the members of your family are keeping well.

" C O P Y "

J.S. Narayanamurthy
for Financial Secretary

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D. O. No. 137

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Dated, Bangalore, 1st August 1934.

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Dear Sir,

In forwarding herewith extract from letter dated 23rd July 1934 from Guru Seva Pravina Mr. N. Srikanta Sastri of Sringeri addressed to the Dewan, I am desired to request you to kindly proceed to Sringeri at an early date to interview His Holiness the Swamigalu of Sri Sringeri Mutt, ascertain his wishes and communicate them to Government.

Yours sincerely,

N. Madhava Rao, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Revenue Commissioner in Mysore,
Bangalore.

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Section Secy

File No. 118-33

Serial No. 5

Diary No. of letter replied to .....

No. 137/Secy

To

The R. C.

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue .....

Signed by .....

Dear Sir. I forward herewith ~~for your information~~ ~~I am directed to enclose~~ ~~Account~~ extract from ~~Copy of second para of~~ letter of 23.7.34 from Guru Seva Prapanna Sri N. Sitarama Sastri of Sringeri addressed to the Dewan I am directed ~~and~~ to request you to ~~allow~~ proceed to Sringeri at an early date to interview the Holiness the Swamigalu of Sri Sringeri Mutt, ~~and~~ to ascertain his wishes ~~and~~ communicate them to Govt.

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Mr. N. MADHAVA RAO, B.A., B.L.,
Revenue Commissioner.

NEW PUBLIC OFFICES,

Dated Bangalore, 13th Aug. *193* 4

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Dear Mr. Rajagopalachari,

I enclose herein, for your information, a copy of my tour programme, to Sringeri and back. during the current month.

Yours sincerely,

N. Madhava Rao

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S.P. Rajagopalachari Esq., B.A.,B.L.,
Second Member of Council.

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Tour Programme of the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

(August 1934).

16th	August.	Bangalore to Tarikere.
17th.	,,	Tarikere to Sringeri.
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19th.	,,	Sringeri to Kadur.
20th.	,,	Kadur to Bangalore.

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Mr. N. MADHAVA RAO, B.A., B.L.,
ai Revenue Commissioner.

NEW PUBLIC OFFICES,

Dated Bangalore, 25th August 1934.

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Dear Sir,

With reference to your D.O. letter No. 137 dated 1st August 1934, I visited Sringeri on the 17th and 18th inst., and interviewed the Swamigalu of the Matha in order to ascertain his views as to the future management of the affairs of the Matha.

2. Rao Bahadur Mr. N.S. Nanjundiah, who was the Agent of the Matha since 1931, having resigned that appointment, His Holiness desires that the Jaghir and all other properties should b managed by an officer of Government, not above the rank of an Assistant Commissioner, under the designation of "Administrator of Sringeri Jaghir". For this post, he has selected, after considering various alternatives, Mr. C. Rama Rao who is now Amildar of Kadur Taluk, and requests that he may be appointed as Administrator for two years, with the rank and status of an Assistant Commissioner. He also requests that pensionary contribution &c. need not be demanded from the Jaghir in respect of Mr. Rama Rao's salary

3. I am of opinion that these requests may be complied with. Mr. Rama Rao will continue to draw salary as Amildar, although he is given the status of an Assistant Commissioner.

4. A Commission may be issued, under Section 99, Land Revenue Code, authorising Mr. Rama Rao to exercise all such powers of a Deputy Commissioner as the Agents of the Matha ought to exercised, including the power to confirm revenue sales, subject to the limitations laid down in the Land Revenue Code. Appeals against the orders of the Administrator will lie, under Section 210 (1A) of the Land Revenue Code, to the Deputy Commissioner.

5. The Swamigalu desired that the Deputy Commissioner of the District, the Revenue Commissioner and other higher officers should from time to time inspect the work of the Jaghir and ad

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My dear Mr. Madhava Rao

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Proceedings of the Govt. of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.

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R E A D:

Correspondence ending with letter No.H.C. 13/34-35 dated 25th August 1934 from the - Muzrai Commissioner submitting a report on the affairs of Sri Sringeri Mutt.

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ORDER NO. 397-9/Mus 118-33-8

Dated Bangalore 11th Septr' 1934.
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His Holiness the Swamigalu of Sri Sringeri Mutt having expressed a desire to discuss the question of selecting a successor to Rao Bahadur Mr.N.S.Nanjundaiya consequent on his resignation as Agent of the Mutt, the Muzrai Commissioner ~~was asked to proceed to Sringeri, ascertain the wishes of H.H. the Swamigalu and report. He went to Sringeri and~~ interviewed His Holiness ~~the Swamigalu~~ on the 17th and 18th August 1934. He reports that His Holiness desired that the Jaghir and all other properties of ~~Sringeri~~ The Mutt should be managed by an Officer of Government, that Mr.C.Rama Rao, Amildar of Kadur Taluk, may be appointed (Incharge & designated) ~~as the~~ Administrator of Sringeri Jaghir ~~for a period of two~~ years with the rank and status of an Assistant Commissioner and that pensionary contribution -

for a period of 2 years

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etc., need not be recovered from the Jaghir in respect of this appointment, ~~and recommends as follows~~:-

The Muzrai Commissioner recommends

(i) that Mr.C.Rama Rao, Amildar of Kadur Taluk, may be appointed as Administrator of Sringeri Jaghir for a period of two years with the rank and status of an Assistant Commissioner, he being allowed to draw salary as Amildar though he is given the status of an Assistant Commissioner,

(ii) that pensionary contrubution etc., need not be recovered from the Jaghir in respect of Mr.Rama Rao's salary, and

(iii) that a Commission may be issued under Section 99, Land Revenue Code, authorising -- Mr. Rama Rao to exercise all such powers of a Deputy Commissioner as the Agents of the Mutt hitherto exercised including the power to confirm revenue sales subject to the limitations laid down in the Land Revenue Code, the Deputy Commissioner being the authority to hear appeals against the orders of the Administrator under Section 210 (1 A) of the Land Revenue Code.

The Muzrai Commissioner also reports that it is the desire of the Swamigalu that the Deputy Commissioner of the District, the Revenue Commissioner and other higher Officers may from time to time inspect the work of the Jaghir and give suitable instructions to the Administrator.

Government are pleased to accept the recommendations of the Muzrai Commissioner with the following

modifications:-

(i) that pensionary contribution, etc., should be recovered from the Jaghir in respect of Mr.Rama Rao's salary, and

(ii) that the Amildar may be designated as "Agent" instead of "Administrator".

Subject to approval 13/9/34

Government also direct that the Deputy Commissioner, the Revenue Commissioner ~~and other higher Officers~~ may inspect the work of the Jaghir occasionally and give necessary instructions to the Agent, as desired by the Swamigalu, but would like to make it clear that the responsibility for the management vests with the ~~Swami~~ Swamigalu and not with Government who will help by lending one of their Officers and by occasional supervision and advice.

Where responsibility is entrusted to Executive Officer there is only occasional supervision.

Chief Secretary to Govt.
11/9/34

To

The Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.
The Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.
The Comptroller to Government.

COPY TO REVENUE BRANCH. for necessary action.
18/9/34.

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DINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS
THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Read :—

Correspondence ending with letter No.M.C.13/34-35 dated 25th August 1934, from the Muzrai Commissioner, submitting a report on the affairs of Sri Sringeri Mutt.

ORDER NO. 397-99/Muz 118-33-8

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for Chief Secretary to Government.

The Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.
" Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.
" Comptroller to Government.

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Government whose [illegible] is [illegible] to [illegible]
of a solid office and the [illegible]
-vision and virtue.

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Previous papers re: appointment of Mr
M S. Ranjendaiya, as Asst. S.

MAN'S OFFICE
6 JUNE 1934
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Herewith a reply received from Bangalore in response to a telephone message sent yesterday to the Sespor. Mazzoi Branch.

They have not been able to get at any papers, but it appears that the appointment is not one requiring Govt. Sanction. only a report might come to Govt. (and submitted to HH) for information

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Mr G. Sethuramiah
W.C, for information please

GPA
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Mr
16-6-34

Letter from C. B. with enclosure

The enclosed letter is a
Directly from a Russian Jew
yesterday re: appointment
of Mr. N. S. Nemyatin as
the agent of the
Singapore Mint -

Another
Perhaps we will
be able to influence against
today to cancel the contract
before it acq-

From the file headings
the info. re. no info. forthcoming.
is forthcoming.

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OFFICE OF THE CENSUS SUPERINTENDENT IN MYSORE.
APPLE VILLA, LAL BAGH ROAD. 50

Enc.

Dated, Bangalore 4/6/1936

Dear Mr. Hithanandaya,

Re-your telephone message about the previous references about the appointment of Mr. N.S. Nanjundaya as Agent of Sri Sringeri Mutt.

The deposit Registers for 1930-31 contain no entries on the subject. As the File Headings of the deposit Registers have been taken by you, you have to find out if any references are available. As I remember the appointment was made in the year 1931.

Mr. Chowdaiya tells me that there are no papers about the appointments

1. Headings contain up to 31-32 were gone through

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It appears that after the appointment was published in the Papers, the Diwan sent a Memo inquiring whether the appointment did not require the Sanction of Govt. A note in reply appears to have been sent that the papers re the appt of Mr. Sankaradas were not available & that the appt. needed no Sanction of Govt.

If the papers connected with this Memo cannot be traced by you with reference to the File heading & the Despatch Register, they must be

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